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FRIGHTFUL LOSS
IN HOLOCAUST.At Least Eighteen the Death
List in Newark
Fire.

DEEDS OF HEROISM MANY

Three Roman Catholic Priests Fight
Their Way Into the Burning Structure
and Administer Last Rites to
the Dying—Nets Save Many.

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NEWARK, N. J., Nov. 26.—Eighteen persons, mostly women and girls, were known to have lost their lives while a score of others are reported missing as the result of a fire that today destroyed an old factory building in the heart of the manufacturing district of this city.

Of the missing it is feared the majority are in the ruins of the structure. Twenty minutes after the first alarm, and while fire apparatus was still en route from the distant quarters of the city, the structure was a complete wreck and its walls had collapsed.

As fast as bodies were recovered from the ruins they were taken to the city morgue. All were so badly scorched that identification will be practically impossible.

The police are now taking a census of the employees in order to determine, if possible, the names of the dead. The fire started in the Wolf Manufacturing Company, makers of underclothing, which occupied the top floor of the structure. The lower floors being used by the Newark Paper Box Company.

Up to 2 o'clock this afternoon only a few of the victims had been identified. The known dead:

Mrs. FRANCES SCHAPIRA,
Mrs. ARTHUR W. WATSON,
Miss ALICE NELSON,
Miss HELEN TOWNE,
Miss MARY A. PERHILL.

As the news of the fire spread, relatives and friends of the workers in the building hurried to the scene, frantic with grief and terror, and their screams could be heard for blocks.

The conflagration is the greatest calamity that has visited Newark in many years. Within a few minutes after the flames were discovered the scene became one of horror. Early spectators, stricken dumb by the sight of girls leaping blindly from third and fourth story windows in the blazing building.

A general alarm brought every piece of fire apparatus to the scene but for a few minutes no progress was made against the flames. Acts of heroism were performed by the scores. Three priests from St. Patrick's cathedral, Fathers Kernan, Dillon and Brennan, fought their way into the blazing structure and gave conditional absolution to the dying. All escaped narrowly the fate of those they sought to succor.

Flames fought with each other to be allowed to enter the burning structure. So fierce were the flames, however, the ladders, placed against the building burned like matches, and the work of rendering aid to the trapped employees was extremely hazardous.

In the meantime every window of the building was filled with hysterical men and women. The life nets were spread and many were saved by leaping into them. Several of those who leaped toward the nets misjudged the distance and missed striking them, falling to the pavement. It is estimated that at least half a dozen were killed in this manner. Some of the firemen were injured, perhaps mortally, by being struck by falling bodies.

High street, in front of the building, was a gruesome sight. Bodies of girls, some dead and others enduring mortal agony, being strewn about haphazardly. There were about a hundred and fifty persons employed by the different concerns in the building, and from inquiries made by the police and firemen it became apparent that

there were a large number not accounted for an hour after the fire was discovered.

From stories told by girls who escaped from the fire, it appears that the fire had its origin on the third floor and was caused by the explosion of a gasoline lamp. One of the spectators said that at least 15 girls had jumped from the fourth story of the burning structure. They stood at the windows until frenzied by the flames behind them and nearly suffocated by the smoke they leaped to the street. Twenty-four injured were taken to the city hospitals in ambulances. Of these two died after reaching the hospital.

Two small freight wrecks caused some delay on the Baltimore & Ohio line this morning. At Mance and Williams freight cars jumped the tracks and blocked traffic.

Wrecks Delay Trains.

The response was both generous and applicable to the demands of the occasion. A large spring wagon load of these things most needed was accumulated and distributed to those for whom they were intended. It was a most beautiful expression of the essential goodness of the child heart, of their willingness to share their possessions and pleasures with others when appealed to in the right spirit and with a view to their education.

This was the first time the school attempted such a movement, but the pleasure exhibited by the children last Wednesday in giving their gifts can be taken as an index to the safe prediction that it will not be the last.

Where is Madero?
His Revolt Fizzles

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EAGLE PASS, Texas, Nov. 26.—With the whereabouts of Francisco I. Madero still a mystery, Mexico's most recent revolution has ended after a two week's attempt to oust Diaz, according to the consensus of dispatches received today.

Quiet reigns throughout the republic, according to all reports. American passengers are arriving here and at Laredo, Texas, from inland Mexican cities corroborated reports that general peace has been restored. When Madero's plans may be for completing his campaign is known only in his rebel camp, believed to be in the mountains north of Parral.

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AT BIG BANQUET.Those Are the Indications
From Acceptances Received to Date.

TONIGHT IS THE LAST CHANCE

For Acceptances To Be Filed With
Secretary J. Fred Kurtz and They
Are Coming Fast—President Bush
Will Be There.

Secretary J. Fred Kurtz of the Chamber of Commerce is busily engaged preparing for the annual banquet which will be held in the armory next Tuesday evening. At that time President B. P. Bush and other high officials of the Western Maryland will be present as guests of honor.

Today is the last for filing acceptances with the Chamber of Commerce and already there are sufficient acceptances in the hands of the secretary to assure the promise of at least 300 at the banquet.

It was stated today that the speaker table will be run full length along the west side of the hall, the other tables to be set at right angles to this. By this means the speakers will be in easy view of the guests.

Besides the honor guests of the evening the other seats at the head table will be occupied by Toastmaster E. C. Hildebrand and the officers and directors of the Chamber of Commerce. The list of those at the head table has not yet been entirely completed but this is the approximate arrangement.

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WHEELING, Nov. 26.—Arguments in demurrers to the indictments charging Mrs. Laura Farnsworth Schenk with attempting to murder her husband, John O. Schenk, by use of arsenic, were heard in criminal court today.

The court sustained the demurrer of the defendant in the indictment charging an attempt to administer poison on the grounds that it alleged no overt act. On all other demurrers the defense was overruled. The court fixed \$10,000 as the bail to be required and set December 19 as the date for trial on the four indictments.

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ALVERTON.

Fine Job Work of all kind at this office.

The Boy Scouts Are Active and Gaining in Numbers at Scottdale.

Special to The Courier.
SCOTSDALE, Nov. 26.—The Boy Scouts, just organized here, held their first hike this morning leaving from their rendezvous at the Pennsylvania railroad station at an early hour. Their destination was kept a secret, more or less, and each was provided with a map in order to ensure the privacy of the hike. The hike was outside of Scottdale. This boy scout organization is one that works for others as well as for itself. The Y. M. C. A. is promoting it in this State. In the circular sent out by the International Y. M. C. A. with its headquarters in New York the circular tells that General Baden-Powell recently unveiled a tablet at the Young Men's Christian Association at Bournemouth, England, commemorating the fact that on January 21, 1908, he publicly inaugurated the Boy Scout movement. The object of the movement is to make boys into strong, manly men and good and useful citizens. In 2½ years 400,000 Boy Scouts have been enrolled in England, and the work is spreading throughout other countries. It looks as if the Scouts will become the largest boys' organization in America. The conservative association men look at it in this light. It is primarily an educational and character building movement and not a military movement as many suppose. The Boy Scout movement is not a new one, but simply a new plan of work. Any Sunday school class of boys over 12 years of age, in Scottdale regardless of creed can form themselves into a patrol of "scouts," select a Patrol Leader, who may qualify and secure a commission, and begin to do the things that will render them eligible to become "second class scouts," and then work to become "first class scouts." Patrol Leaders and Scout Masters. Information about the No. 1 Patrol here may be obtained from William O'Connor, Joe Yanner, Arthur McIntyre, Julius Zuckmayer, Ralph Sherrick, Arthur Burnhart, Albert Kiefer, Patrol Leader; Louis Wooster, Corporal, and R. S. Bruce, Scout Master.

Bowling League Here.
With cool weather the sport of bowling has begun to be once more exciting and the rolling of the balls and the crack of the pins as they are knocked over is a sight to see. The following is a list of the organized: Frick Car Shops, William

Elisbas: Athletics, John East, Moore Club, O. B. Ringler, Tom, R. Hockenbury, Bridgeport, J. Faghi, and Brown, E. Hamilton. One can now look for bowling scores most any evening.

Hixson-Strange.
The marriage of Miss Hixson, of near Scottdale, and Herman W. Strange of Baltimore, took place at the home of the bride's parents, yesterday Rev. R. B. Mansell, D. D., pastor of the First Methodist Church, performed the ceremony. The impressive ring ceremony was used, and was solemnized at 12 o'clock noon. After a short wedding trip the young couple will reside in Connellsville.

Orchestra With Enthusiasm.
Miss Irene McWilliam, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. McWilliam, who is a Scottdale musician studying at the New England Conservatory of Music, Boston, was prominent in the program of a pupils' recital the other day. She rendered the piano forte in Beethoven's Trio, Op. 1, No. 1 for piano forte, violin and cello. The audience grew great and enthusiastic over her splendid performance.

Party For Pastor.
Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Mull were given a great party last evening as a token of the respect they are held in by the members of the church and others as well. Last night the missionary society met here and took hold of everything so that the party last night was destined to have the pleasantest possible time.

They Caught Myers.
John Freeberg, Matthew Ernsatz and Frank Ernsatz from Everson were fined \$5 each by Burgess J. P. Ellis for disorderly conduct at a hearing last evening. The three had met J. E. Myers also of Everson on the bridge on Thanksgiving evening. Myers was accompanied by a couple of young ladies, and one of the trio thought that one of the girls belonged to his brother. Gallantry overcame him and with the thought that he would allow no one to "beat his brother's time" the three of them attacked Myers and drove him back to Scottdale. There the three made loud boasts of what they were going to do and without regard to the three police who were there. They got so disorderly that all were removed to the lockup. They put up forfeits and appeared at the hearing last evening. All but Myers was freed.

Pennsylvania Station In New York Will Be Opened to the Public Today.

The Pennsylvania Station in New York City, covering more territory than any building ever constructed at one time in the history of the world, will be thrown open to the public at 12:01 A. M. Sunday, November 27. The operation of trains will begin immediately with a full schedule of 61 trains westbound and 55 trains eastbound every twenty-four hours. This does not include 88 eastbound and 85 westbound Long Island railroad trains which are already in operation. For many years the Pennsylvania contemplated building entrance to New York City and in 1884, a proposition was entertained to build the "North River Bridge" across the Hudson river, with a span almost twice that of the Brooklyn Bridge. The plan of that year, however, put a damper on all new undertakings. In 1902 the subject was again revived, but the silver panic of 1903 prevented the adoption of any particular plan. In 1909 the control of the Long Island railroad was acquired by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, and it then became desirable that the Pennsylvania should have a physical connection with the Long Island railroad. As the other railroad lines using ferries to carry passengers into New York City did not approve of the construction of the Hudson river bridge, and as it was impossible to obtain a charter for a bridge to be used exclusively by a single company, a tunnel scheme was adopted by the Pennsylvania railroad.

With the opening of the Pennsylvania station, the railroad management expects to see the population of the section in and around New York City increase more rapidly than it ever has.

Railroads on the western bank of the Hudson river, opposite New York City, carried, in 1906, nearly 52,000,000 people. In 1909 they carried over 72,000,000. In 1906 more than 81,000,000 and in 1908 about 140,000,000 people. In 1909 the population of New York City and its suburbs was 5,121,155, and five years later it was 5,191,038, an increase in ten years of 35 per cent. In 1912 it is estimated that the population of this territory will approximate six million people, and in 1920 eight millions.

The franchise from the City of New York authorizing the tunnel and station was granted October 3, 1902, and the first work on the tunnel was begun on June 19, 1903.

with twenty-five baggage and express elevators. The highest point of the tracks in the station is nine feet below sea level.

The station building is 784 feet long and 430 feet wide. The average height above the street is 69 feet, while the maximum is 152 feet. To light the building it takes about 500 electric arcs and 20,000 incandescents. More than 150,000 cubic yards of concrete were required for the retaining walls, foundations, street bridging and the substructure. There are 650 columns supporting the station building and the greatest weight of any one of these is 1,558 tons.

The stone work of the station was completed on July 31, 1910. To enclose this vast area has necessitated the building of exterior walls aggregating 4,478 feet, nearly half a mile in length, and has required 49,000 cubic feet of pink granite. In addition, there have been utilized hundreds of the concrete 60,000 cubic feet of stone. A total of 650,000 cubic feet of "Milford pink granite" have thus been utilized in the construction of this building. It took 1140 freight cars to transport these 47,000 tons of stone from Milford, Mass.

In addition to the granite, the construction of this building has called for the use of 27,000 tons of steel. There have also been set in place some 15,000,000 bricks, weighing a total of 48,000 tons. The first stone of the masonry work on the building was laid June 15, 1908, the entire masonry was thus completed in approximately thirteen months after the work was begun.

The river tunnels leading to the station are, all told, 6.8 miles long, and the land tunnels have the same length. From the Bergen Hill portal in New Jersey to the Long Island entrance of the tunnel is 5.3 miles. It is 8.6 miles from Harrison, New Jersey, to the station in New York, while from the latter point to Jamaica the distance is 11.35 miles.

The maximum capacity in trains per hour of all the Pennsylvania tunnels is 144, the initial daily service will consist of 289 Pennsylvania and Long Island trains.

Passengers for Pennsylvania trains will find shops of various kinds in the arcade leading from the main entrance to the station at Seventh Avenue and Thirty-second street. At the end of this arcade are the restaurants, buffet and lunch room. Continuing one's steps down the grand stairway to the general waiting room, one finds ticket offices, a bureau of information, telephone booths, the telegraph office, baggage and parcel checking facilities. This immense waiting room contains no seats, as separate waiting rooms for men and women are provided with seats and retiring rooms. In planning the station the company endeavored to arrange all facilities, so they could be used with the minimum effort. Signs in profusion direct the passenger to his train, to the different streets and to all other objective points.

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BOTH PHONES.

train will leave Philadelphia at 10:12 o'clock Saturday evening. The first outbound train to leave the Pennsylvania station will be a Perth Amboy accommodation, departing at 12:02 A. M.

A number of Pennsylvania railroad officials will probably go through the tunnels to the station on the first train from Philadelphia Saturday night.

Dr. C. W. Fortney Dies at Scottdale

Special to The Courier.
SCOTSDALE, Nov. 26.—Dr. Charles D. Fortney, the oldest physician in town, died this morning, aged 84 years. He had been ill for three weeks past following a stroke of paralysis which he suffered while on the street, where he was a familiar figure although so weak and tottering during the last year that he could hardly get about. He is survived by his widow, who is Nancy, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Elcher of Greensburg, and the following children: Mrs. William Kelly of Bellefonte, Harry Fortney of Greensburg, James Fortney of Connellsville, and John C. Fortney of South Scottdale.

Dr. Fortney was born in Mount Pleasant township, attended the schools there, and then went to Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, from whence he came with his degree of M. D. in the spring of 1854. He first located in Adamsburg, Westmoreland county, where he staid for two years and then went to Ohio, where he spent four years and then returned to his native county. In March, 1865, he enlisted as assistant surgeon in the Eleventh Pennsylvania Regiment, serving until the close of the war, being mustered out in July, 1865. Returning to Pennsylvania he remained there until 1873 when he located in Scottdale. After 20 years here he went to Pittsburgh and for four years was associated with Dr. H. B. Orr, his son-in-law. He then retired from active practice of medicine and returned to Scottdale where he lived ever since. He and his family are members of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

In July 1907 he and Mrs. Fortney celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary, the affair being a quiet one as Mrs. Fortney, who was aged 81 then was in ill health at the time. The funeral services will be held on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the late home of the deceased, 135 Pittsburg street. Rev. R. B. Mansell will conduct the services. Interment will be in Scottdale Cemetery.

SPITZNOGLE OUT

After Nine Weeks in Room From an Auto Accident.

SOMERSET, Nov. 26.—Harry G. Spitznogle, proprietor of the Hotel Vannover, on Monday made his first appearance at the office in nine weeks, and although some persons might think he was attracted from his comfortable room by the charming school marism, such is not the case. It was the first day he was able to leave his room since his leg was broken in an automobile accident at the Princeton crossing on the S. & C. branch. He walks with the aid of crutches, and it will be several weeks before he is able to bear his weight on the limb. The leg is encased in a plaster of Paris cast.

QUINN MARRIED.

New York American League Twifler Takes Bride at Johnston.

SOMERSET, Nov. 26.—(Special.) Jack Quinn, who is known by every follower of baseball in Somerset county, was married last week at Johnston to Miss Georgianna Lantier of Pittsboro. After passing a day or two with friends at Johnston, the couple left for Savannah, Ga., where the groom will play ball during the winter.

world at Dunbar, later going to Humboldt, where he was employed as a blacksmith. During his residence in Somerset county he played with the Ursula, Berlin and Somerset teams. He is now with the New York American League club, where he is making good.

CREWE HAS NEW POLICY FOR INDIA.



LONDON, Nov. 26.—The Earl of Crewe, the new secretary of state for India, will sail from England early in December to make a tour of the country. The Earl has long sought the new post, as he has some radical reforms in store for India. He is going to try to persuade some of the princes of India that they can get along without so many jewels and the people should be given lighter taxation. King George has been informed of this policy and is said to have agreed with it.

CAN'T BE SEPARATED.

Some Connellsville People Have Learned How to Get Rid of Both Backache and kidney ache are twin brothers. You can't separate them. And you can't get rid of the backache until you cure the kidney ache. If the kidneys are well and strong, the rest of the system is pretty sure to be in vigorous health.

Donna's Kidney Pills make strong, healthy kidneys. Mrs. John H. Breckin, 128 Snyder street, Connellsville, Pa., says: "Donna's Kidney Pills have been used in our family with the best results and I know them to be a valuable kidney remedy. About two years ago one of the members of the family was suffering from lumbago and lumbago back. The kidney secretions were also unusual. Donna's Kidney Pills were procured and the relief obtained from the use of one box was permanent. There has been no occasion to resort to any kidney remedy since then."

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UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, Crawford avenue, Sunday school at 9:45 A. M., O. O. Kiehn, superintendent. Preaching services at 11:00 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. J. S. Patton, conference superintendent will preach in the evening. Evening conference, Saturday evening at 7:30 P. M. Y. P. C. E. at 6:30 P. M. and Junior at 2:30 P. M. Sabbath. W. H. Spangler, pastor.
M. E. CHURCH, REV. R. C. WOLF, pastor. Services at 11:00 A. M. Sabbath school at 9:45 A. M. Epworth League

Sedersky & Rapport

Having purchased the entire stock of goods and fixtures from Mace & Co., The Big Store. The store will close Monday for stock-taking purposes.

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Temporary Heat Quickly

Did you ever stop to think of the many ways in which a perfect oil heater is of value? If you want to sleep with your window open in winter, you can get sufficient heat from an oil heater while you undress at night, and then turn it off. Apply a match in the morning, when you get out of bed, and you have heat while you dress. Those who have to eat an early breakfast before the stove is radiating heat can get immediate warmth from an oil heater, and then turn it off. The girl who practices on the piano in a cold room in the morning can have warmth from an oil heater while she plays, and then turn it off. The member of the family who has to walk the floor on a cold winter's night with a restless baby can get temporary heat with an oil heater, and then turn it off. The



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Minister E. A. 12 Palmyra. Manse 211 Willis Road, East Park. Office hours 1:30 to 5 P. M., except Mondays. Services for Sunday, November 27, 1910. Bible school at 9:45 A. M., public worship at 11 A. M. Rev. Wilson, D. D., of Pittsburg will represent the Anti-Slavery League at this service. The young people will meet for their regular worship at 6:30. The congregation will unite in the union service at the Soisson theatre at 7:30. A cordial invitation is extended to the above services.

Prices at the Lyric.
Draw coupons given with every 50 admission ticket at the Lyric Theatre. First prize \$15.00 in gold; second prize \$10.00 in gold, and third prize \$5.00 in gold. Read coupons.

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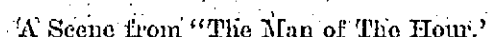
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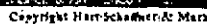
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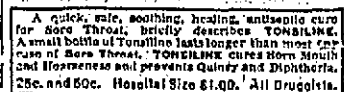
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COKERS TAKE JOYLESS JAWNS OVER IN EASY FASHION 36 TO 21.

But Referee Boyd Again Showed Signs of Color Blindness
and It Cost Locals Dear.

KUMMER IS PUT OUT OF GAME

Took Poke at Joe Fogarty After Johnstown Captain and Bill Keenan Roughed It With Him—Now Men Get a Chance to Shine.

Score Last Night.	Club	Standings.
McKeesport	10	1
CONNELLSVILLE	9	2
South Side	8	3
Johnstown	7	4
Uniontown	6	5
Homestead	5	6

Games Tonight.
Cokers at South Side
Uniontown at Homestead
McKeesport at Johnstown

For just about six minutes the joyless jaws made things interesting for the Cokers at the West Side auditorium last evening. That was in the second half when they scored 10 points and attempted to overcome a 22 point lead. Then the Cokers got together once more and stopped the trouble. They won, 36 to 21.

The game was marred by the mediocre work of Referee Boyd. Mr. Boyd has yet to show the fans here that he is competent to referee a professional basketball game. In the first place he doesn't get close enough to the plays to see what is going on and in the second he has shown signs of color blindness in the games, here, being able to see offenses only when committed by boys in the yellow jackets. When the referee has a trace of that color about him hasn't been proven, but circumstantial evidence points that way.

Boyd was bad enough in the game here last week against McKeesport. Last night he was even worse. While he called more fouls on Johnstown than the Cokers during the first half he let Keenan and Captain Fogarty punish Billy Kummer down in one corner without seeing what was going on, though his single eye detected the swipe Kummer took at Fogarty. Kummer was ejected from the game and while the referee was probably a just one, Fogarty and Keenan both should have been sent out also. The result now is that the Cokers go into tonight's game against South Side with second place at stake, with the best point scorer of the quintet out of the game.

Kummer's retirement gave Elliott, one of the new men, a chance to perform. Elliott for a time seemed lost in the cage. He stood around like a bump on a log, towering over all the others, but never seeming to get the hang of things. The excitement of the fray got into his system, however, and before the game was over he was making it up with the best of them. His long arms blocked one possible field goal on Johnstown's part and he stifled several of the visitors' in line style. Elliott started to make a bar-becue out of the Johnstown aggregation and only Father Time prevented him. The money one seems to have latent possibilities which Captain Kummer may develop.

Sherwood Magee, ball player par excellence, got into the contest for nearly four minutes, Doherty retiring when the game seemed on ice. Like Elliott, it took Magee several seconds to find himself, but while that process was going on the ball tower was making it evident to Joe Fogarty that someone was guarding him. He roused it with Joe in no gentle manner and possibly when the Johnstown captain woke up this morning and felt his sore and stiffened muscles he feared a sigh of regret over being the cause of Kummer's expulsion. Both Doherty and Magee got after Fogarty throughout the game, although the latter was inclined to be gentle until his ire was aroused over the Kummer incident.

Johnstown was never really in the game for a minute. They did run up 10 points in succession during the second half but the damage had already been done. The real cause of Johnstown's downfall was inability to locate the basket when all the chances in the world were offered. Doroza's easy shots went to the bad (among poor aim on the part of the entire five). In the second half there was some improvement and Keenan's work was a little better than that of his team mates.

The Cokers started off with a rush. After Kummer had infused a foul he came back quick with a field goal. Two fouls and field goals by Boggs and Dark ran the score up to 16. Then Johnstown got a lonely foul, making the score 16 to 1. In the first 3½ minutes of play, the time that had expired when the Cokers asked for a time out, the locals had scored 16 points to Johnstown's 1. Johnstown made one field goal in the first half, Newman finally hitting the basket after many tries. In the same time Kummer had made five baskets, Dark and Boggs two and Doherty one.

Elliott played a stellar game throughout. He held his own at center and did well at forward after Kummer was fired out. He made one basket and was doing yeoman's duty guarding the aggressive McLaughlin.

In the second half the Cokers had run up a score of 22 to 10 when Johnstown asked for time out. Play was resumed and the Flood City aggregation went at it hammer and tongs. Elliott made four field goals and it was almost four men against five. Two field goals each by Keenan and Fogarty ran the score up in a hurry but then Boggs shot two long ones in quick succession after Magee succeeded Doherty and the game rang with the Cokers 15 points to the good.

The lineup:
Connellsville 20. Johnstown 21.
Kummer Forward Fogarty
Dark Forward Newman
Elliott Forward Keenan
Boggs Center McLaughlin
Doherty Guard Hanesbury
Substitutions—Elliott for Kummer; Elliott for Elliott; Magee for Doherty; Dark for Keenan; 2 Boggs; 4 Newman; 2 Keenan; 2.
Foul points—Kummer 5 out of 9, Dark 1 out of 1; Boggs 4 out of 9, Fogarty 1 out of 1.
Score end of first half—Cokers 25; Johnstown 1.
Referee—Boyd
Time—Mitchell and Fox
Attendance 300.

Field Goals.
Coker fans never were awfully strong for this home native business but they certainly hate to see the locals handed the worst of it right along.

During the last four games Boyd has worked with the Cokers. That seems on the face of it, but judgment on the fact of President Leitch, to be brutally frank, Coker fans are tired of Boyd. It is trying their patience too much.

"Don't send him to Johnstown," remarked one of the Flood City players after seeing the exhibition. "They don't like Boyd any better than we do. Joe Fogarty vehemently denies Boyd is a protege of his."

That Johnstown team certainly is in a rut. Something wrong when players miss almost sure shots the way it was done last night.

The real feature of the game was Doherty's field goal in the first half. About the whole Coker team tried to land the ball in the basket and failed, including the Plugger himself. Then he emerged from the scrimmage and dumped the ball through the net.

Three fouls were called on Magee in the last three minutes. The ball tower was getting acquainted with Joe Fogarty. The way Magee went after things last night would indicate he knows a good bit more about the game than writers in other towns have given him credit.

When Doherty saw the game was on ice he took himself out of the game and gave Magee a chance. Thanks, Doc, we wanted to see him work.

There is no discounting the fact that Billy Kummer is a big cog in the Coker wheel. After he was fired out Elliott and Doherty worked like track horses endeavoring to do the work of half a dozen players. They did it, too.

The floor was in much better condition than ever before but to be on the safe side plenty of powdered rosin was sprinkled about. Neither side had a kick coming on the floor.

Elliott covered over all the other players. He got the tap on Keenan times without number. Once he almost buried the ball out of the cage.

Boyd called a foul on Elliott for tapping the ball on his upward course but let Keenan pull off the same offense without inflicting a penalty.

Judging from the exhibition here there is little hope of Johnstown stopping McKeesport tonight even if the Tubers do play in the Flood City. The joyless ones have lost seven games in a row. McKeesport vs. the Johnstown team has been overestimated but you can't convince a Johnstown fan of that fact. Hard luck is the terse explanation over there.

One of Boyd's worst faults is that he doesn't get close enough to the plays. Likes to stand back a mile or two, where there is no danger of getting hurt in the scuffle.

Someone in the gallery had a whistle and blew it frequently. Good job for the foul killer. Not only annoyed the players but caused the game to slow down too often.

The management has placed the ban on fish, horns, rattles and other instruments of torture. Roosters will have to cheer without mechanical assistance in the future. Good move, that.

Billy Kummer made five field goals in the first half. He made the same number in that period of the game here last Friday against the same team. Last week he had nine in all. The work by the opposing guard—

Two Cokers will have to look out for South Side. Tough's men are coming strong. Bill Powell has filled a big gap there.



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\$8.00 Black Hat Set, large and lustrous. Special	\$6.25
\$14.00 Black Coney Set, pillow muf, trimmed scarf. Special	\$10.25
\$15.00 Black French Coney Set, rug muf, ribbon trimmed scarf. Special	\$10.75
\$16.00 Black Fox Set, pillow muf, scarf with head and tails. Special	\$12.00
\$22.00 Black Fox Set, rug muf, head and tail trimmed scarf. Special	\$17.50
\$25.00 Blue Wolf Set, rug muf, tail trimmed scarf. Special	\$29.50
\$40.00 Blue Wolf Set, pillow muf, head trimmed scarf. Special	\$32.50
\$12.00 Blue Wolf Set, two styles, rug or pillow muf. Special	\$35.00

\$20.00 Caracul Set, barrel muf, shawl collar. Special	\$22.50
\$2.50 to \$25.00 Children's Sets, various furs. Special	\$19.50
\$23.00 Black Imitation Lynx Pillow Muf, shawl scarf. Special	\$19.25
\$22.50 Imitation Lynx Set; beautiful color scheme. Special	\$26.75
\$10.00 Blue Wolf Set; head and tail trimmed. Special	\$32.50
\$10.00 Iceland Fox, pillow muf, long throw and muf. Special	\$32.50
\$50.00 Iceland Fox Set, large size throw and muf. Special	\$37.50
\$60.00 Silver Fox Set; rug muf; shawl collar. Special	\$42.00

\$60.00 Black Wolf Set; shawl collar, tail and claw trimmed. Special	\$42.00
\$75.00 Natural Wolf Set. An extra value for only	\$62.50
\$75.00 Black Lynx Set; genuine skins of AI quality. Special	\$60.00
\$85.00 Black Lynx Set, pillow muf, large scarf. Special	\$65.00
\$90.00 Australian Opossum Set; handsome natural skin. Special	\$72.50
\$16.50 Jap Mink Collar and Jap Mink Tie, either. Special	\$12.00
\$22.00 Black Russian Fox, rug muf, no scarf. Special	\$17.50
\$10.00 Black Russian Fox, head and tail trimmed; scarf only. Special	\$32.50

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Serviceable, Not Merely for a Season,
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\$75.00 rich, lustrous Pony Coat, 36 inches long, for 3 days	\$60.00
\$75.00 soft black Pony Coat, elegantly fashioned	\$60.00
\$75.00 Caracul Coat, 36 inches long, genuine and worthy, special	\$57.50
\$75.00 30-inch River Mink Coat, sparkling and dressy	\$55.00

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\$100 Jap Mink Coat, 50 inches long, fully striped	\$75.00
\$100 Near Seal Coat, 50 inches long, worth \$125, at the lowest	\$78.00
\$200 Australian Opossum Coat, 50 inch length or 36 inch mink coat	\$150
\$225 Persian Lamb Coat, 42 inches long, handsome; special	\$175
\$240 Persian Lamb Coat, same length, \$50 less for three days	\$190

NOTE.—Only about 1/4 the furs in stock are mentioned here. The biggest surprises must be seen at the store. An early visit is advisable, because we can't possibly sell at these prices longer than Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

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